

shall take effect from and after its publication in The Iowa Homestead and Iowa State Register, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 23, 1868.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily State Register* March 26, 1868, and in *The Iowa Homestead* April 1, 1868.

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 38.

### RELINQUISHING AN ESCHEAT IN WASHINGTON COUNTY.

AN ACT to Amend an Act for the Relief of the Widow and Indigent Children of Joseph Ketterer. MARCH 23

WHEREAS, By the act entitled An Act for the relief Preamble. of the widow and indigent children of Joseph Ketterer, passed at the Ninth General Assembly, the 1862, ch. 149. State of Iowa has relinquished to Crescent Ketter[er], wife, and to Joseph and Ferdinand Ketterer, children, of said Joseph Ketterer, deceased, the escheat in and to the s. e.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of n. e.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of section number 5, and the s. w.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of n. e.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of section number 8, all in township 74, n. of range number 9 west; and,

WHEREAS, It appears that the land was, in the petition directed to said General Assembly, erroneously described, and was not the land of which the said Joseph Ketterer died seized; and,

WHEREAS, It appears that said Joseph Ketterer died seized of the following described tracts of land, to-wit: the n. w.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of n. e.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of section number 8, township 74 n. of range number 8 west; and of a piece described as follows: beginning at the s. e. corner of the n. e.  $\frac{1}{4}$  of section number 5, township 74 n. of range number 9 west, running thence north 6 chains, thence n.  $68^{\circ}$  w. 20 chains and 33 links, thence n.  $70\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  w. 14 chains, thence s.  $10^{\circ}$  w. 17 chains and 21 links, to a point 3 chains and 25 links east of the center of said section, thence east to the place of beginning, containing  $39\frac{33}{100}$  acres: therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That the State of Iowa does hereby relinquish all right or title, by escheat, in and Title to nw  $\frac{1}{4}$  ne  $\frac{1}{4}$  § 8, T.

74, R. 8 W. to the two last described tracts of land situated in Washington county, Iowa, or any title she may have in § 5, T. 74, R. 9, relin'sh'd and relinquishes her right therein to the said Crescent Ketterer.

Ketterer, wife of said Joseph Ketterer, and to Joseph Ketterer and Ferdinand Ketterer, the children and heirs of said Joseph Ketterer, deceased, and to their heirs, assigns or vendees, subject, however, to all general or special taxes as other lands. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the present act are hereby repealed.

**Taking effect.** SEC. 2. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and The Washington County Press, a newspaper published in Washington, Washington county, Iowa.

Approved March 23, 1868.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily State Register* March 27, 1868, and *The Washington County Press* April 1, 1868.

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 39.

### PAYMENT OF AGENTS FOR ARREST OF FUGITIVES.

MARCH 23. AN ACT in Relation to the Payment of the Expenses of Agents appointed to demand Fugitives from Justice.

**SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That upon the appointment of any agent for the arrest of a fugitive from justice, under the provisions of chapter 191, of the Revision of 1860, the Governor be, and he is hereby authorized to make it a condition upon such appointment, and the issue of the writ, that the same shall be executed without expense to the State, if in his opinion justice and equity so require.

**Gov'nor may provide arrest of fugitives shall not beat State's expense.**

**SEC. 2.** When, in the opinion of the Governor, expenses incurred in the arrest of fugitives from justice should be paid by the State, such expenses shall be made out by items in detail, and sworn to, and approved by him, and at least two other members of the Census Board, and when so approved, shall be audited and

**Expenses to be paid by State how approved; to come out of gen'l rev'nue.**